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Sir: With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of: Hiroshi OSAWA, Naoyasu HOSONUMA

entitled: CHARGING SYSTEM FOR MOBILE ROBOT, METHOD FOR SEARCHING CHARGING STATION, MOBILE ROBOT, CONNECTOR, AND ELECTRICAL CONNECTION STRUCTURE

The following are enclosed:

- X Specification (64 pages) X 24 Sheet(s) of Drawings X 43 Claim(s) (including 10 independent claim(s)) This application contains a multiple dependent claim

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X Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate the claim(s) for priority made in the Declaration:

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